Report on River Regulatory Measures

2610. SHRI TARINIKANTA ROY: Will the Minister of SHIPPING ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT), Chennai has produced a report on river regulatory measures at Haldia port in West Bengal;

(b) if so, whether his Ministry has received the report; and

(c) the steps that have been taken to start capital dredging at Haldia?

THE MINISTER OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) and (b) The National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT) has submitted its report on the River Regulatory Measures for improving draught in the river Hooghly at Haldia. Based on the recommendations of NIOT, a scheme comprising Capital Dredging and River Training Works has been formulated and submitted by the Kolkata Port Trust for approval of the Government.

(c) The scheme would be undertaken, once the competent authority approves the proposal.

Toll Charges on National Highways

2611. SHRI NANA DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of SHIPPING ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the National Highways, sections thereof, in the country which are open to use on payment of toll charges;

(b) the points at which toll is collected by NHAI on such National Highways along with the rate of toll charges at each point;

(c) the basis on which the toll charges have been calculated;

(d) the revenue targeted and actual collections during the last three years, year-wise;

(e) whether Government see any scope for rationalisation of the toll charges throughout the country; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA): (a) Toll charges (users' fee) is being collected on 42 sections of National Highways in the country.

(b) The Stations and rate of users' fee being collected by NHAI at each Station are enclosed as statement (see below).

(c) the users' fees are being collected as per the National Highways Act, 1956 and the Rules made there-under.

(d) The estimated and actual collection of toll charges by NHAI during the last three years are as under:

SI. No.	Year	Estimated collection *(Rs. in crores)*	Actual collection *(Rs. in crores)*
1	2001-02	48.00	73.08
2	2002-03	200.00	256.32
3	2003-04	350.00	371.68

(e) and (f) The determination of users' fee in each tolled stretch of National highways is based on certain norms. A country-wide rationalization of the users' fee may not be appropriate at this stage.

Statement

Details of Toll being Collected by the National Highways Authority of India

SI. No.	National Highway No.	Details	Plaza Location (km)	Type of Vehicle	Rate per Single Trip (Rs.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	1	Panipat-Ambala	132 Karnal	Car/Jeep/Van	50
		(Km 96.0-Km 206.0)		LCV	90
				Truck/Bus	175
				Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	375
2	1	Ambaia-Khanna (Km 206.0	212 Shambu	Car/JeepA/an	30
		Km 272.0)		LCV	55
				Truck/Bus	105
				Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	225
3	1	Khanna-Jallandhar	296 Doraha	Car/JeepA/an	45
		(Km 272.0- Km 372.0,		LCV	80
				Truck/Bus	160
				Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	340
4	2	Badarpur-Kosi	72 Srinagar	Car/JeepA/an	35
		(Km 18.8- Km 108.9)		LCV	60
				Truck/Bus	125

5 2	Kosi-Agra (Km 108.9-	Km 164.55	Car/JeepA/an	35
	Km 199.0) (toll plaza	Mahuvan	LCV	60
	at 164.55 Km)		Truck/Bus	125
62	Barwa adda-Panagarh	Km 454.8	Car/JeepA/an	35
	(Km 398.75-Km 515.236)	Gauri	LCV Truck/Bus/HCM/EME	90
				180
7 4	Belgaum-Maharashtra Border	Km 591.24	Car/JeepA/an	25
	(Km 537.00- Km	Kognoli	LCV	50
	592.24=55.24 Km)		Truck/Bus	100
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	220
8 5	Bhubaneshwar-Cuttack-	Km 19.3	Three wheeler with/without trailor	5
	Jagatpur (Km0.0-Km 27.8)	Gopalpur	Car/JeepA/an	10
			LCV	15
			Bus	20
			Truck	25
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	80
9 5	Ankapalli-Visakhapatnam	Km 371.2	Car/JeepA/an	15
	(Km 358.00-Km 398.875 &	Agnampudi	LCV	30
	Km 0.0-Km 2.837)		Truck/Bus	65
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	145
10 5	Jagatpur-Chandikhole (from	Km 58.8	Car/JeepA/an	15
	Km 27.8 to Km 61.0 of NH	Chandikhole	LCV	25
	5=33.2 Km)		Truck/Bus	55

1 2	3	4	5	6
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	125
11 5	Vijayawada-Gundugolanu Including Eluru Bypass (from Km 3.4 to Km 81.6= 78.2 Km) divided into two equal streches of 39 1 Km.	Km 31.85 (Pattipadu Village)	Car/Jeep/Van	15
			LCV	30
			Truck/Bus	65
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	145
12 5	Vijayawada-Gundugolanu Including Eluru Bypass (from Km 3.4 to Km 81.6= 78.2 Km) divided into two equal streches of 39.1 Km.	53.300 (Kalaparru Village)	Car/Jeep/Van	15
			LCV	30
			Truck/Bus	65
			Heavy Cosntruction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	145
13 5	Vijaywada-Chiikaluripet (Km 354.775-Km 434.150= Km 83.0)	Km 416.8 Kaza	Car/Jeep/Van	40
			LCV	70
			Truck/Bus	140
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	305
14 6	Amravati Bypass (from Km 149.747 to Km 166.0=17.5 Km)	Km 1.3 & Km 16.550	Car/Jeep/Van	10
			LCV	15
			Truck/Bus	30
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	65
15 8	Bharuch-Surat (Km 198.00-Km 109.192)	Km 261.4 Chalthan	Car/Jeep/Van	15
			LCV	30
			Truck/Bus	55

			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	120
16 8	Vadodara-Bharuch (Km 109.0-Km 192)	Km 148 Manglej	Car/Jeep/Van	20
			LCV	35
			Truck/Bus	75
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	155
17 8	Gurgaon-Kotputli (Km 42.00- Km 162.5	Km 61 Bilaspur	Car/Jeep/Van	55
			LCV Truck/Bus/HCM/EME	100 160
18 8	Kotputli-Chandwaji+Jaipur Bypass (Km 162.5- 221.0+Km 47.7= Km 106.2)	Km 211 Manoharpur	Car/Jeep/Van	40
			LCV	80
			Truck/Bus	150
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	150
19 8	Manor-Dahisar (Km 439.0- Km 502.0=Km 63.0)	Km 474.1 Shirshad	Car/Jeep/Van	30
			LCV	50 105
			Truck/Bus	230
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	
20 8	Kajali-Manor (Km 381.60 to Jn 439.00 of NH-8= 57.4)	Km 420.34 Charoti	Car/Jeep/Van	25
			LCV	50 100
			Truck/Bus	215
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	

1 2	3	4	5	6
21 8	Ratanpur-Himatnagar	Km 416	Car/Jeep/Van	25
	(from Km 388.180-	Vantada	LCV	45
	Km 443.00=54.82)	Distt.	Truck/Bus	95
		Sabarkantha	Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	205
22 8A	Gandhidham-Samakhyali	Km 309	Car/Jeep/Van	25
	(Km 306.00-Km 362.1(30)	Samakhyali	LCV	45
			Truck/Bus	95
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	205
23 24	Ghaziabad-Hapur Section &	Km 29/30	Car/Jeep/Van	15
	Hapur Bypass (Km 27.643-	Dasna	LCV	30
	Km 48.638 & Bypass of		Truck/Bus	55
	Km 11.250)		Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	120
24 45	Chennai Bypass Km 0.00-	Km 16	Car/Jeep/Van	10
	Km 19.17 of Chennai		LCV	15
	By pass Phase-I (taking off		Truck/Bus	25
	from Km 28.0 of NH 45 and Joining at Km 13.80 of NH4 =Km 19.17)		Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	55
25 79	Bhilwara-Chittorgarh	Km 163.650	Car/Jeep/Van	40
	(Km 81.00 to Km 163.900)		LCV	75
			Truck/Bus	155
			Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	330

26	79&79A	Kishangarh-Village Kavalias (Km 0.00-Km 35.00 Km 15.00-Km 81.00)	Km 80.800 Kavalias	Car/Jeep/Van	50
				LCV	90
				Truck/Bus	185
				Heavy Construction Machinery/ Earth Moving Equipment	405